Mountain Weather Forecast

Bannau Brycheiniog (Brecon Beacons) National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Saturday 30 Nov 2024 until 23:59 on Sunday 01 Dec 2024

Forecast Issued on Friday 29 Nov 2024 at 13:40

Confidence: High confidence in the general synoptic situation, lower for exact timings and locations of heavier showers and bands of rain through the night.

Headline for Saturday 30 Nov 2024: Widely cloudy and quite breezy with fog lingering in the valleys. Turning wet later.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 30 Nov 2024

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
High Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
FOG	FOG	FOG	FOG				
Fog	Fog	Fog	Fog	Cloudy	Drizzle	Light rain	Light rain
Precipitation probability							
<05%	<05%	20%	20%	30%	60%	60%	80%

Forecast for Saturday 30 Nov 2024

Weather: A widely cloudy day with hill fog shrouding the peaks through much of the morning. Mainly dry, however patchy drizzle may develop sporadically in places, before becoming more persistent later in the afternoon. Rain then arriving from the south bringing a wet evening and night. Very mild.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 20% later becoming 60%.

Low cloud and visibility: Widespread low cloud down to 400m through the morning, lifting to above the peaks by the afternoon but occasionally lowering in patchy drizzle. Poor to very poor visibility through much of the day, at times due to extensive low cloud covering the hill tops and during periods of drizzle and rain.

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Forecast for Saturday 30 Nov 2024

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	16/23 S	16/22 SW	16/22 SW	17/23 S	19/26 S	18/26 S	21/29 S	22/32 S	24/35 S
300	10/22 S	9/20 SW	9/20 SW	10/21 S	12/23 S	10/21 S	12/24 S	15/29 S	16/31 S
Valley	8/21 SW	8/20 SW	8/19 SW	8/19 S	10/21 S	9/21 S	9/23 S	13/28 S	12/27 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	9/6	9/6	9/6	9/6	10/6	10/6	10/6	10/6	9/5
300	11/9	11/9	11/9	11/9	12/10	12/10	12/10	12/9	11/8
Valley	11/10	11/10	11/10	11/10	12/11	12/11	12/10	12/10	12/9
Freezing Level*	2100m	2000m	1900m	2100m	2100m	2200m	2100m	2200m	2400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Windy conditions make for challenging walking on exposed terrain, with poor visibility providing an additional challenge for navigational skills. Although mild, additional layers may be required for walking at higher altitude given a wind chill at height.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
15:00 on Thu 28 Nov 2024	0.2mm	8mm	11.6mm

Forecast for Sunday 01 Dec 2024

Weather: Widely cloudy and occasionally breezy, with bands of heavy rain and drizzle spreading eastwards through the morning. Turning drier into the afternoon with winds easing and cloud lifting, although the odd spot of rain still possible at times.

Maximum wind: Southerly 20-25 mph gusting 35 mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 20% later becoming 80%.

Low cloud and visibility: Widespread low cloud down to 400m through the morning, though rising later to above the summits. Poor or very poor visibility in low cloud, rain and drizzle through the morning, but improving to good or excellent in dry spells through the afternoon, with clear views of distant hills at times.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 12 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 8 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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